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1. In Bards (N40-24, E47-10), the MGB is located on Noushabe Street (sic).

2. In Baku, the MGB is located on Shaumyana Street.

3. Following are [redacted] MGB and militia officers in Bards:

a. GUSEYNOV, Lt. (fnu): Chief of the militia. [redacted]

b. ABDULLAYEV, Lt. (fnu): Chief of criminal investigation (nachalnik uslonogo rozyska). [redacted]

c. YAFAROV, 1st Lt. (fnu): Deputy to ABDULLAYEV. [redacted]

d. VALIYEV, Capt. (fnu): Chief of MGB. [redacted]

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4. The retention prison at Shusha (N39-45, E46-44) holds about 600 inmates at the present time; during the war it held about 1200 persons. Prisoners are held here pending their being sent to a work camp. In the juvenile section, as many as 35 boys shared the same barracks-like cell. The boys are sent to a work camp at Zakataly (N41-38, E46-39).

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